

# EIMS News

April 20, 2005

## April 30<sup>th</sup> Release

### Account Management

Online account management will allow you to add or delete EIMS accounts in your division. An important feature for users is password hints, which will assist them in obtaining their forgotten passwords.

An administrator and user's guide will be sent out shortly. Read it first.

The Project Manager is assumed to be the Account Administrator, as well. If you would like to designate someone else please email me. Account Management is scheduled for the April release, but it may slip a week or two.

### Match Weight Criteria

New match weight criteria incorporating the STI will be in effect April 30<sup>th</sup>. After much analysis and testing this new algorithm showed significant reduction in records falling into "Needs Resolution".

Any files currently being worked on will not be affected. You may reject a file and resubmit if you have not started working on it to take advantage of the new method.

### Student Resolution Report

The current Student Resolution report is being enhanced. It will have sorting and download capability to make it easier to use.

## COMING SOON

### BIRDS OF A FEATHER

Friday, May 13, 2005

Virginia Beach

The program for the BOF will focus on:

### File Management

It will begin at 10am with a General Session to bring you up to date on what is going on in EIMS and what we are planning in the future.

There will be two breakout tracks – Maintaining Data Integrity and Problem Solving.

The day will conclude with a reconvening the General Session wrapping up around 2:30-3:00pm.

Again, all are invited; however I'd expect only those within a couple hours driving distance to attend.

As always, I will publish the notes from the session to everyone.

**Pre-registration is required.** Please send me an email by **May 10<sup>th</sup>** if you intend to attend.

### Full File Upload

We will be requesting a full upload to EIMS between July 15 and September 1 prior to EOY. Please use the Pre-submission application to prepare your file prior to uploading to EIMS.